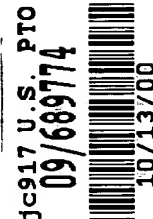




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UTILITY PATENT  
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER



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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of Akio KATSUBE, Hideo NAKAGOSHI  
and Hidemasa KAWAI for HOLDING JIG FOR ELECTRONIC PARTS, HOLDING METHOD  
THEREFOR, AND MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR ELECTRONIC PARTS.

Also enclosed are:

- ☒ 6 sheet(s) of ☐ formal ☒ informal drawing(s);
- ☒ a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 is ☒ hereby made to  
11-291575 and 11-291576 filed in Japan on October 13, 1999 ;
- ☒ in the declaration;
- ☒ certified copies of the priority documents;
- ☐ a General Authorization for Petitions for Extensions of Time and Payment of Fees;
- ☐ an Assignment document;
- ☒ an Information Disclosure Statement; and
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☒ An ☐ executed ☒ unexecuted declaration of the inventor(s)

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☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This  
application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 to    filed in    on   ; the  
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☐ A bibliographic data entry sheet is enclosed.

☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.

☒ The filing fee has been calculated as follows ☐ and in accordance with the enclosed  
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	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$710.00 (101)
Total Claims	14	MINUS 20 =	0	× \$18.00 (103) =	0.00
Independent Claims	4	MINUS 3 =	1	× \$80.00 (102) =	80.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$270.00 (104)					
Total Application Fee					790.00
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					
Add Assignment Recording Fee \$ if Assignment document is enclosed					
<b>TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE</b>					<b>\$790.00</b>

- ☐ This application is being filed without a filing fee. Issuance of a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application is respectfully requested.
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